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ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF

MONT VERNON, N. H.

For Year Ending January 31, 1940



Also Officers of the School District

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Selectmen

Town Treasurer

Town Clerk

Tax Collector

Overseer of th Poor

Trustees of Trust Funds

GEORGE F. AVERILL

Cemetery Trustees

Library Trustees

WINTHROP B. WOOD

Firewards

Moderator

Auditors

FERDINAND M. STUCKLEN

Warrant for Annual Meeting

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Mont Vernon in
the County of Hillsborough in said State,
qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Mont Vernon, on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount on property taxes of three per cent if paid in full before July 1, and two per cent if paid before August 1.

4. To see if the town will vote to accept State Aid for the construction of the Class 2 road known as the Francestown Turnpike and raise and appropriate for said purpose the sum of \$664.50; or will accept State Aid for the construction of Class 5 roads and raise and appropriate for said purpose the sum of \$480.75.

5. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

6. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired through Tax Collector's deeds.

7. To see if the town wishes to continue the policy of insuring fire trucks in view of a change in the statutes concerning liability.

8. To see if the town will purchase the Leighton property, so called, for the purpose of supplying water for the school and Town Hall, and for the purpose of establishing a suitable playground for the village school, and raise and appropriate \$900.00 for the same.

9. To see if the town will raise and appropriate \$300.00 for the purpose of installing water system in the Town Hall.

10. To see what action the town wishes to take with regard to the removal of buildings on the Leighton property, so called, grading the grounds suitable for playground purposes and relinquishing ownership of the same to the Mont Vernon School District, and if favorable action is taken to raise and appropriate sufficient funds for this purpose.

11. To see if the town wishes to purchase a power grader and raise and appropriate money for such purpose or take any other action pertaining to such purchase.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty.

ARVID G. ERLANDO,
GEORGE B. BLOOD,
FRANK C. REAGAN,
Selectmen of Mont Vernon.

BUDGET

	Actual 1939	Estimated 1940
General government	\$1118 95	\$1200 00
Protection of persons and property	1038 68	800 00
Maintenance of town roads	2373 49	1800 00
Town lighting	525 48	525 00
General expense highway department		200 00
Library	225 00	225 00
Park	108 10	100 00
Cemetery	100 00	100 00
Unclassified	663 82	200 00
Health	15 00	15 00
Memorial Day	30 30	25 00
Care of poor and old age assistance	281 40	500 00
Snow removal	830 14	1200 00
Outlay for new construction	685 56	480 75
	<hr/> \$7995 92	<hr/> \$7370 75

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1939

General government	\$1100 00
Protection of persons and property	800 00
Maintenance town roads	1800 00
Town lighting	525 00
General expense highway department	200 00
Library	225 00
Park	100 00
Cemetery	100 00
Unclassified	200 00
Health and Memorial Day	40 00
Care of poor and old age assistance	500 00
Snow removal	1200 00

Town road aid	477 18
Investigating water supply	100 00
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	\$7367 18

INVENTORY OF MONT VERNON FOR 1939

Land and buildings	\$405,240 00
Horses, 25	1,865 00
Cows, 108	4,875 00
Oxen, 2	150 00
Neat stock, 12	365 00
Sheep	
Fowls, 10,994	8,817 00
Fur bearing animals, 60	1,320 00
Electric light equipment	7,535 00
Wood and lumber	1,600 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	300 00
Stock in trade	1,300 00
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	\$433,367 00

Exemption to veterans, \$6000.00

AMOUNT OF TAXES AND RATES

Property taxes committed to collector	\$13,388 00
Rate, \$3.00 per \$100.00 valuation	
School District rate, \$1.09 per \$100.00 valuation	

BALANCE SHEET**ASSETS**

Cash in Souhegan National Bank	\$4602 79
Due from Daland Trust Fund	50 00
Bounties due from state	21 80
Taxes bought by town, not redeemed	836 45
Taxes uncollected	2755 58
Interest due on taxes	49 82
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	\$8316 44

LIABILITIES

Due school district:	
Dog tax, 1938 and 1939	\$ 238 54
Balance of appropriation	2207 00
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	\$2445 54
Excess of assets over liabilities	5870 90
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	\$8316 44

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town hall, land and buildings	\$5000 00
Furniture and equipment	200 00
Library	7000 00
Fire Department, land and buildings	500 00
Equipment	4000 00
Highway Department, equipment	5000 00
Park	1000 00
School, land and buildings	2500 00
Equipment	300 00
Land acquired through Tax	
Collector's deeds	150 00
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	\$25,650 00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

AUTO TAX ACCOUNT 1939

Paid town treasurer for 171 auto permits	\$523 11
Paid town treasurer for 2 auto permits for 1938	2 60
	<hr/> \$525 71

DOGS LICENSED

53 males	\$104 80	
10 females	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$154 80
Paid for dog tags	\$3 44	
Paid for dog notices	1 00	
Paid for dog license book	2 00	
Fees	12 60	
	<hr/>	\$19 04
Paid town treasurer		<hr/> \$135 76

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

1936 TAXES

Taxes redeemed	\$43 05	
Interest on redeemed	12 33	
Cost of tax sale	3 31	
Polls collected	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$60 69

1937 TAXES

Taxes redeemed	\$103 01	
Interest on redeemed	17 27	
Cost of tax sale	6 22	
Polls collected	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$130 50

1938 TAXES

Taxes collected	\$1791 92	
Interest on taxes	100 76	
Polls collected	110 00	
	<hr/>	\$2002 68
Taxes sold to town	\$416 24	
Interest on tax sales	34 49	
Cost of tax sales	45 33	
Taxes redeemed	15 40	
Interest on redeemed taxes	1 29	
Interest of tax redemptions	9 93	
	<hr/>	\$522 68
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		\$2525 36

1939 TAXES

Property taxes assessed	\$13,388 14	
Interest due on taxes	49 82	
	<hr/>	\$13,437 96
Property taxes collected	\$10,548 31	
Property taxes uncollected	2,627 58	
Discounts allowed	212 25	

Interest collected	6 26	
Interest due	43 56	
	<hr/>	\$13,437 96

1939 POLLS

Polls assessed	\$416 00	
Polls added	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$426 00
Polls collected	\$262 00	
Polls uncollected	128 00	
Polls abated	36 00	
	<hr/>	\$426 00

NATHANIEL F. HOOPER,
Tax Collector.

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1939	\$3,535 04
Rent of town hall	6 00
Cemetery lot sold	10 00
Town history sold	2 60
Plowing snow on driveways	45 00
From State of New Hampshire:	
Bank, insurance, railroad tax	1,780 24
Maintenance Class 5 roads	288 43
Rent of tractor	78 00
Flood control	170 10
Forest fire rebate	123 90
From N. F. Hooper, Town Clerk:	
Dog taxes	135 76
Auto permits (1938-39)	2 60
Auto permits (1939-40)	523 11
From N. F. Hooper, Collector Taxes:	
1936 taxes	60 69
1937 taxes	130 50
1938 taxes	2,525 36
1939 taxes	10,852 57
	\$20,269 90

EXPENSES

Selectmen's orders	\$15,667 11
Cash on hand in bank Feb. 1, 1940	4,602 79
	\$20,269 90

WINTHROP B. WOOD,
Treasurer.

RECEIPTS

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes, current year, collected	\$10,462 71	
Poll taxes, current year, collected	262 00	
Taxes abated	36 00	
Tax sales redeemed	161 46	
National Bank stock tax	85 60	
Taxes previous years collected	1,907 92	
Taxes previous years collected by sale	416 24	
	<hr/>	\$13,331 93

From State:

Gasoline tax	\$ 288 43	
Interest and dividend tax	1554 45	
Insurance tax	19 50	
Railroad tax	51 94	
Savings bank tax	154 35	
Rental of tractor	78 00	
Flood damage	170 10	
Forest fire rebate	123 90	
	<hr/>	2,440 67

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Dog taxes	\$135 76
Auto permits	525 71
Rent of town hall	6 00
Cemetery lot sold	10 00
Town history sold	2 60
Plowing snow in driveways	45 00
Interest received on taxes	107 02
Interest received on tax sales	65 38

Costs of tax sales	64 79	
	<hr/>	962 26
Total Receipts, all sources		\$16,734 86
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1939		3,535 04
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Grand Total		\$20,269 90

PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$559 68	
Town officers' expenses	226 29	
Election and registration exp.	20 00	
Town hall expenses	312 98	
	<hr/>	\$1118 95

Protection Persons and Property:

Feeding tramps	\$ 4 23	
Burning dump	18 40	
Dog officer (2 years)	20 00	
Killing dog	1 00	
Bounties	9 20	
Fire department	985 85	
	<hr/>	1038 68

Health:

Health department	\$10 00	
Vital statistics	5 00	
	<hr/>	15 00

Highways:

Town maintenance, includ-		
snow removal	\$3203 63	
Lighting	525 48	
T. R.A. appropriations paid		
state	685 56	
	<hr/>	4414 67

Library:		
Appropriation		\$225 00
Charities:		
Old age assistance		281 40
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day		30 30
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemetery		100 00
Parks:		
Care of park		108 10
Unclassified:		
Taxes bought by town	\$532 82	
Special appropriation for water	95 00	
Abatements	36 00	
	<hr/>	663 82
Payments to Other Governmental		
Divisions:		
County tax	\$4183 25	
Schools	3487 94	
	<hr/>	7671 19
Total Payments		<hr/> \$15,667 11
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1940		4,602 79
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Grand Total		\$20,269 90

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries:

A. G. Erlando, selectman	\$100 00	
G. B. Blood, selectman	85 00	
F. C. Reagan, selectman	75 00	
A. B. Lamson, auditor	5 00	
F. M. Stucklen, auditor	5 00	
G. O. Carleton, fire chief	50 00	
W. B. Wood, treasurer	40 00	
W. B. Wood, overseer	40 00	
G. D. Kittredge, moderator	5 00	
N. F. Hooper, tax collector	134 68	
N. F. Hooper, town clerk	20 00	
		\$559 68

Town Officers' Expenses:

Assoc. New Hampshire		
Assessors, dues	\$ 2 00	
Cabinet Press, town reports	98 50	
Hillsboro County Register of		
Deeds, recordings	8 50	
C. O. Ingalls, town officers' bonds	25 00	
Wilfred J. Boisclair, names		
deceased owners	60	
Temple Grocery, postage	4 01	
Cole Printing Co., tax books	2 75	
N. F. Hooper, postage, printing		
and expenses	20 93	
University of New Hampshire,		
book	2 50	
A. G. Erlando, tel. and postage	3 50	
G. B. Blood, tel. and postage	1 00	
N. F. Hooper, auto permits		
and expenses	53 96	
W. B. Wood, postage & incidentals	3 04	
		226 29

Election and Registration Expenses:

W. O. Lamson, supervisor	\$10 00	
C. O. Ingalls, supervisor	2 00	
Arthur Trow, supervisor	8 00	
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		20 00

Town Hall Expenses:

Irving B. Farnum, stove	\$15 00	
County Stores Inc., materials	1 75	
Geo. W. Pike, wood	6 00	
H. C. Gault, labor and materials	3 05	
Osgood Const. Co., materials	30 75	
James E. Webster Est., regulat- ing clock	4 00	
Thomas C. Davis, labor	55 62	
Rotch Insurance Agency	43 78	
Brusquini and Son, painting	13 70	
Bessie Carleton, stove	86 81	
Geo. W. Pike, labor	30 21	
Edmund Towers, sawing wood	2 00	
Geo. W. Coggin, repairs	75	
Geo. W. Pike, janitor	9 00	
H. L. Stroncer, janitor	3 00	
Bessie Carleton, supplies	7 56	
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		\$312 98

Protection Persons and Property:

Temple Grocery, feeding tramps	\$ 4 23	
A. M. Hazen, killing dog	1 00	
A. M. Hazen, burning dump	18 40	
Geo. S. Proctor, dog officer, 2 yrs.	20 00	
A. G. Erlando, bounties	2 80	
G. B. Blood, bounties	6 40	
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		\$52 83

Fire Department:

C. O. Ingalls, insurance on trucks	\$162 09
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A. M. Hazen, Sharon forest fire	31 00	
A. M. Hazen, forest fires	219 30	
Haseltine & Caldwell, coal (2 years)	61 55	
Frank Lamson, repairs and supplies	30 43	
Arthur H. Blanchard Co., supplies	39 28	
Boston Woven Hose Co., hose	130 00	
Milford Motor Co., repairs	10 95	
Temple Grocery, supplies	16 19	
County Stores, Inc., supplies	7 95	
Geo. W. Coggin, supplies and repairs	11 28	
H. L. Stroncer, supplies	22 43	
A. B. Lamson, fire dept. payroll	113 90	
A. B. Lamson, supplies	4 50	
H. L. Stroncer, custodian	125 00	
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		\$985 85

Health:

J. H. Blood, health officer	\$10 00	
S. Fraser, M. D., vital statistics	1 00	
N. F. Hooper, vital statistics	4 00	
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		\$15 00

Highways:

W. O. Lamson, road agent	\$2173 49	
T. R. A. appropriation for 1939 and bal. due on 1938	685 56	
W. O. Lamson, snow removal, Feb. 1, 1939 to Jan. 31, 1940	830 14	
R. C. Haseltine, rental of grader	200 00	
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		\$3889 19

Charities:

Treas. Hillsboro County, old age assistance	\$ 71 90
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State of New Hampshire, old		
age assistance	209 50	
	<hr/>	\$281 40

Library:

W. B. Wood, treasurer		\$225 00
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Patriotic Purposes:

Henry G. Blood, Memorial Day	\$15 00	
Temple Grocery, supplies		
Memorial Day	15 30	
	<hr/>	\$30 30

Park:

George Standley, care of park	\$100 00	
Norman Horton, labor	8 10	
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Town Lights:

Public Service Co. of N. H.		\$525 48
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Cemetery:

H. G. Blood, treasurer		\$100 00
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Unclassified:

Thomas C. Davis, water		
installation	\$ 95 00	
N. F. Hooper, tax titles bought	532 82	
N. F. Hooper, tax abatements	36 00	
	<hr/>	\$663 82

**Payments to Other Governmental
Divisions:**

Tax paid to County		\$4183 25
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Schools:

Annie S. Perham, treasurer:

Balance due 1938	\$ 907 78	
On account 1939	2500 00	
Town of Amherst, school tax	80 16	
	<hr/>	\$3487 94
Total Payments		<hr/> \$15,667 11
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1940		4,602 79
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Grand Total		\$20,269 90

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR

For 1939

	County		
	Direct Relief	Soldiers' Relief	Town Relief
January	\$24 00	0	0
February	44 79	0	0
March	97 73	0	0
April	55 25	0	0
May	51 46	0	0
June	42 99	0	0
July	44 03	0	0
August	45 76	0	0
September	34 38	0	0
October	45 04	0	0
November	50 89	0	0
December	0	\$46 37	0
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	\$536 31	\$46 37	0

COUNTY CASES

Mrs. John Nichols	\$492 39	
Henry Payne	46 37	
Harry Morse	43 92	
	<hr/>	\$582 68

Year	County	Town
1936	\$1222 06	0
1937	571 24	0
1938	292 42	\$371 00
1939	582 68	0

WINTHROP B. WOOD,
Overseer of Poor.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

Dr.

Received from town appropriation	\$1914 96
Received from state gasoline tax	288 43
Received from state for flood and hurricane damage	170 10
	<hr/> \$2373 49

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Town road maintenance	\$2373 49
Weekly statements covering daily activities are on file with the selectmen	

Detailed Statement of Town Maintenance:

George Sprague, labor	\$107 67
Ernest Cushing, labor	191 33
Walter Blanchard, labor	46 67
Fred Morgan, labor	124 66
Norman Horton, labor	126 66
George Carleton, labor and gravel	48 80
Edwin Mason, labor	34 33
George Standley, labor	37 33
Melvin Chase, labor	13 33
Raymond Chase, labor	12 00
Arthur Robinson, labor	19 67
Henry Payne, labor	49 33
Albert Lamson, labor	18 00
Claire Miles, truck and labor	52 33
John Robertson, labor and gravel	58 00
Jean St. Cyr, labor	5 33
John Welch, labor	29 00
George Blood, truck and labor	48 00
Arthur LaPalme, labor	37 67
Ray Silvernail, labor	20 00

Edward Trow, truck	24 00
Lester Salisbury, team	6 00
Caleb Salisbury, labor	3 00
Union Welding Co.	4 50
Temple Grocery, gas and oil	110 85
R. C. Haseltine, grader	200 00
Hume Pipe Co. of N. E., cement pipe	156 69
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, cement	1 95
Concord Foundry and Machine Co., grate	5 00
Melvin Hutchinson, gravel	7 20
George Coggin	46 47
William Lamson, truck, labor and supplies	727 72
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	\$2373 49

Snow Bills for March and April 1939:

William Lamson, truck and labor	\$246 22
Albert Lamson, labor	2 00
Norman Horton, labor	22 50
Guy Libby, labor	1 67
Fred Morgan, labor	19 33
Edward Trow, truck and labor	105 53
Claire Miles, truck and labor	108 78
Frank Lamson, labor	67
John Robertson, labor	10 50
Willard Archibald, labor	7 17
Paul Wilson, labor	2 67
Edwin Mason, labor	5 00
George Standley, labor	1 00
Ray Silvernail, labor	1 00
Perley Trow, labor	1 00
Joseph Carleton, labor	6 00
George Sprague, labor	6 00
Ernest Cushing, labor	6 00
Leon Buxton, sand	3 60
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	\$556 64

Snow Bills for December 1939 and January 1940:

William Lamson, truck and labor	\$104 67
Arthur LaPalme, labor	6 00
Henry Payne, labor	6 00
John Welch, labor	8 80
Norman Horton, labor	7 33
Claire Miles, truck and labor	56 25
Edward Trow, truck and labor	58 75
John Robertson, labor	2 80
Joseph Carleton, labor	2 80
George Carleton, labor and truck	9 00
Temple Grocery, gas and oil	11 10
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	\$273 50

WILLIAM O. LAMSON,
Road Agent.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Receipts for year 1939:

Received from Ida E. Kittredge for perpetual care of cemetery lots of	
Zephaniah Kittredge	\$100 00
Albert D. Manning	100 00
Received interest on government bonds	108 25
Received interest on Savings Bank book	1 00
	\$309 25

Paid for care of each lot:	Amt. paid	Bal. due
Harriet Dean	\$1 30	\$90 41
Luther Odell	1 30	45 27
John N. Colby	1 30	38 27
Misses Kendall	1 30	16 07
Reuben Batchelder	1 30	22 83
Sarah Holcomb	12 35	13 44
Mary Baker	1 30	22 70
John Coburn	1 30	5 11
John Perkins	1 30	12 25
Mrs. C. J. Smith	1 30	35
Harriet Kittredge	1 10	4 30
Frances Starrett	2 15	6 46
Jane Kittredge	1 10	17 51
Albert Burnham	1 30	12 77
J. H. A. Bruce	1 30	26 21
Nellie M. Stinson	1 30	8 30
William H. Stinson and		
Nancy A. Stinson	4 30	8 16
Josiah Kittredge	1 66	12 10
Nathaniel Bruce and		
Rev. John Bruce	1 30	4 70
Charles Raymond	1 30	8 83
Fidelis Cutter Shedd	1 30	10 31
Charles W. Blood	1 30	6 87
Timothy Kittredge	1 30	6 20

Deacon Albert Conant		
and Deacon William Conant	1 30	7 16
Daniel P. Kendall and		
Isaac Russ	1 30	1 85
Andrew H. Raymond	1 30	4 75
Chester B. Averill	1 30	6 38
Ada E. Greenwood	98	3 57
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	\$50 94	\$423 13

Amount of Funds in Hands of Treasurer

1. Harriet Dean	\$300 00
2. Luther Odell	200 00
3. John N. Colby	200 00
4. Misses Kendall	100 00
5. Reuben Batchelder	100 00
6. Sarah Holcomb	100 00
7. Mary Baker	100 00
8. John Coburn	50 00
9. John Perkins	50 00
10. Mrs. C. J. Smith	50 00
11. Harriet Kittredge	50 00
12. Frances Starrett	100 00
13. Jane Kittredge	100 00
14. Albert Burnham	100 00
15. John H. A. Bruce	100 00
16. Nellie M. Stinson	100 00
17. William H. Stinson & Nancy A. Stinson	100 00
18. Josiah Kittredge	100 00
19. Nathaniel Bruce and Rev. John Bruce	200 00
20. Charles Raymond	100 00
21. Fidelis Cutter Shedd	100 00
22. Charles W. Blood	100 00
23. Timothy Kittredge	100 00
24. Albert Conant and Dea. William Conant	100 00
25. Daniel P. Kendall and Isaac Russ	100 00
26. Andrew H. Raymond	100 00

27. Chester B. Averill	200 00
28. Ada E. Greenwood	100 00
29. Zephaniah Kittredge	100 00
30. Albert D. Manning	100 00
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	\$3400 00

How Invested	
Government bonds	\$3200 00
Souhegan Savings Bank	200 00
Souhegan Savings Bank income not expended	386 97

ASSETS

Government bonds	\$3200 00	
Bank book	200 00	
Int. on government bonds	108 25	
Int. on bank deposit	1 00	
Money in bank not expended	386 97	
	<hr/>	\$3896 22

LIABILITIES

Funds in hands of trustees	\$3400 00	
Money paid for labor	50 94	
Paid for safety box	5 00	
Paid for seed	25	
Amount due lots	423 13	
Excess of assets over liabilities	16 90	
	<hr/>	\$3896 22

Fidelis Whipple Shedd Fund

Assets

Two \$500.00 U. S. bonds	\$1000 00	
Amount in Savings Bank	140 38	
Jan. 1, 1940, Int. Sav. Bank	2 77	
Jan. 1, 1940, Int. on Bonds	32 50	
	<hr/>	\$1175 65

Liabilities

Two \$500.00 U. S. bonds	\$1000 00	
Bank book	175 65	
		\$1175 65

ABBIE S. MORGAN,
 GEORGE F. AVERILL,
 Trustees of Trust Funds.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF CEMETERY

Receipts

Received from town treasurer	\$100 00	
Received from lots sold	10 00	
		\$110 00

Expenditures

Henry Payne, work in cemetery	\$72 00	
Geo. A. Standley, cutting grass	20 80	
Town treasurer, for lots sold	10 00	
Balance on hand	7 20	
		\$110 00

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of all town officers and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1940.

ALBERT B. LAMSON,
 FERDINAND M. STUCKLEN,
 Auditors.

February 14, 1940.

DALAND MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Any report of this year's work must be a trifle incomplete, since the installation of a new furnace made it necessary to close the library for a month. It was re-opened January 28th, with a distribution of fifty books, which with only one day's notice of opening, shows the desire of the public for reading matter.

The cost of the furnace was generously donated by Mrs. Lucia E. Auryansen, a Daland Trustee, who has shown in many ways her interest in the welfare of her native town.

The usual library activities have been observed with no outstanding variations, but a desire to meet the requirements of readers and students as far as limited funds for new books would allow, and the commendation and appreciation for our efforts in this respect, have been very encouraging.

The State Aid Fund has as usual benefitted us to the extent of twenty books, and we have received notice that they are to send a year's subscription to Story Parade, a magazine for boys and girls, aged six to thirteen.

We have added in all 170 books, 29 by gift from interested friends. A few duplicates were sold, and several were sent to a library in New Hampshire which lost its books by fire.

Even with the enforced closing of the library, the circulation has exceeded that of last year, which shows some progress made.

We have suffered a great loss by the death of Mrs. Amy Hubbard Feys, a Trustee for many years, with an active interest in the library and its use by the townspeople. The Librarians have been indebted to her for many suggestions for library improvements, and the gift of many books, with a large

number collected through the years from her friends. The town and library have lost an active and well loved citizen whose place will be hard to fill.

With the hope that your interest and appreciation may be sustained and increased during the coming year, this report is respectfully submitted.

RUTH S. ENDREJAT,
Librarian.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF LIBRARY

Receipts

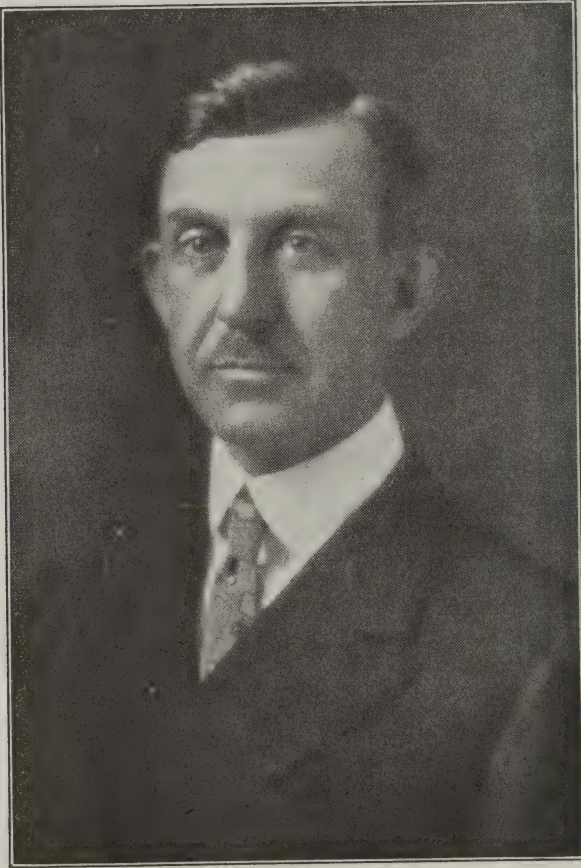
Balance on hand	\$ 1 50	
Town appropriation	225 00	
Fines received	3 87	
Gift (E. C. Bates)	2 00	
Duplicate book sold	1 00	
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		\$233 37

Expenses

Librarian's salary	\$125 00	
Books purchased	45 30	
Magazines	15 96	
Fuel	35 00	
Postage and supplies	1 58	
Insurance	7 52	
Printing	2 56	
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	\$232 92	
Balance on hand	45	
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		\$233 37

WINTHROP B. WOOD,
Treasurer.

In Memoriam



HAROLD CAMPBELL BALES

1887 - 1939

Superintendent of Schools, Union No. 40
Twenty Years

MONT VERNON SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHOOL OFFICERS

School Board	Term Expires
Mrs. Helen K. Hooper, Chairman	1941
Mr. Francis C. Reagan, Secretary	1940
Mrs. Catherine G. Blood	1942
Mr. Harold C. Bowley, Milford, N. H.	
	Superintendent of Schools
Miss Lois M. Cate	Teacher
Mr. George D. Kittredge	Moderator
Mr. William O. Lamson	Clerk
Mr. Ray E. Pomeroy	
	Truant Officer and Enumerator
Oscar Burns, M. D.	Medical Inspector
Miss Venita H. Carter, R. N.	School Nurse

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1939-1940

Begin	Close
September 5, 1939	November 29, 1939
December 4, 1939	December 22, 1939
January 2, 1940	February 16, 1940
February 26, 1940	April 19, 1940
April 29, 1940	June—to be determined

PROPOSED CALENDAR FOR 1940-1941

Begin	Close
September 4, 1940	November 27, 1940
December 2, 1940	December 20, 1940
January 6, 1941	February 21, 1941
March 3, 1941	April 18, 1941
April 28, 1941	June—to be determined

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the
Town of Mont Vernon, qualified to
vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 12th day of March 1940, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year, July 1, 1940 to June 30, 1941.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.
9. To see how much money the District will raise

and appropriate for special repairs, alterations, insurance, and new equipment.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Mont Vernon, this 9th day of February, 1940.

F. C. REAGAN,
H. K. HOOPER,
C. G. BLOOD,

School Board.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

Financial Report for Fiscal Year July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

Total Receipts	\$4728 02
Total Payments	4710 25
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Cash balance June 30, 1939	\$17 77

RECEIPTS IN DETAIL

From State:	
Equalization fund	\$00 00

From Selectmen Raised by Taxation:	
Appropriation voted March 1938:	
For support of elem. schools	\$3374 00
Salaries of district officers	85 00
Truant officer and school census	10 00
Supt.'s salary account	80 00
Payment of per capita tax	106 00
Payment of high school tuition	900 00
Administration	50 00
Special: Painting school bldg.	175 00
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	\$4780 00
Less estimated income	175 00
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	4605 00

From Sources Other Than Taxation:*	
Dog tax (1938 assessment)	102 78
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Total Receipts from All Sources	\$4707 78
Cash on hand July 1, 1938	20 24
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GRAND TOTAL	\$4728 02
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*Nothing received from Daland Music Fund

PAYMENTS JULY 1, 1938 TO JUNE 30, 1939

Administration:

1. Salaries of district officers	\$85 00	
2. Supt.'s salary account	80 00	
3. Truant officer & school census	10 00	
4. Expenses of administration	52 54	
	<hr/>	\$227 54

Instruction:

5. Teachers' salaries	\$1025 00	
6. Textbooks	25 78	
7. Scholars' supplies	7 24	
8. Flags and appurtenances	0 00	
9. Other expenses of instruction	13 07	
	<hr/>	\$1071 09

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:

10. Janitor service	\$50 00	
11. Fuel	75 00	
12. Water, light and janitor's supplies	28 80	
13. Minor repairs and expenses	33 65	
	<hr/>	\$187 45

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:

14. Medical inspection	\$ 40 81	
15. Transportation of pupils	1584 36	
16. High school tuition	778 00	
17. Elementary school tuition	415 00	
18. Other special activities	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$2868 17

Fixed Charges:

19. Tax for state wide supervision	\$106 00	
20. Insurance and other fixed charges	30 00	
	<hr/>	\$136 00

Outlay for Construction and Equipment:

22. Alterations of old buildings	\$175 00
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Debt, Interest and Other Charges:

26. Payments of bills from previous year	\$45 00
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Total Payments for All Purposes	\$4710 25
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Distribution of Expenses:

General expenses	\$583 54	
Expenses for high school	778 00	
Support of elem. schools*	3348 71	
		\$4710 25

*Includes expense of tuition and transportation for
Grades VII-VIII at Milford.

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

H. K. HOOPER,

F. C. REAGAN,

C. G. BLOOD,

School Board.

RALPH P. CURRIER, Superintendent.

June 30, 1939.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Mont Vernon of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ALBERT B. LAMSON,

FERDINAND M. STUCKLEN,

July 10, 1939.

Auditors.

PAYMENTS IN DETAIL
July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

1. Salaries of District Officers:

Helen K. Hooper, school board	\$20 00	
Francis C. Reagan, school board	20 00	
Catherine G. Blood, school board	20 00	
Annie S. Perham, treasurer	20 00	
Albert B. Lamson, auditor	2 50	
Ferdinand M. Stucklen, auditor	2 50	
		\$85 00

2. Superintendent's Salary Account:

Raymond A. Dyer, Treas., Union No.	
40, account of Harold C. Bales	
and Ralph P. Currier	\$80 00

3. Truant Officer and School Census:

Ray Pomeroy, truant officer	
and enumerator	\$10 00

4. Expenses of Administration:

The Cabinet Press, envelopes,		
transportation adv.	\$ 1 25	
Raymond A. Dyer, Treas., account		
of clerk and office expense	43 50	
J. L. Hammett Co., transfer case	95	
J. P. Melzer Estate, enum. cards	90	
Remington Rand, Inc., record cards	1 44	
A. P. Temple, stamps	4 50	
		\$52 54

5. Teachers' Salaries:

Mary T. Bemis, Grades I-VI	\$940 00	
Viola Jenkins, substitute	10 00	
Elsie F. Wheeler, music	75 00	
		\$1025 00

6. Textbooks:

D. Appleton-Century Co.	\$ 3 48	
Bobbs-Merrill Co.	4 76	
Ginn and Co.	1 84	
Scott, Foresman and Co.	10 08	
John C. Winston Co.	5 62	
	<hr/>	\$25 78

7. Scholars' Supplies:

Edward E. Babb and Co.	\$1 48	
McLellan Stores Co.	1 20	
Milton Bradley Co.	4 56	
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9. Other Expenses of Instruction:

Allyn and Bacon, ref. book	\$ 46	
G. N. Bosworth, world almanac	53	
Ginn and Co., reference book	78	
Philip H. James, work books	3 33	
H. A. Melendy, atlas	3 95	
Visual School Report Co., report cards	4 02	
	<hr/>	\$13 07

10. Janitor Service:

George Standley	\$50 00
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11. Fuel:

Frank Hartshorn Co., kindling	\$ 6 50	
Norman Horton, wood	10 50	
Town of Mont Vernon, wood	42 00	
George Pike, wood	12 50	
Robert Tower, sawing	3 50	
	<hr/>	\$75 00

12. Water, Light and Janitor's Supplies:

Cheshire Chemical Co., cleaner and towels	\$3 68
The County Stores, Inc., supplies	3 47

Emerson and Son, brush and mop	2 39	
Milford School District, towels	3 25	
Public Service Co., service	14 92	
Temple Grocery, supplies	1 09	
	<hr/>	\$28 80

13. Minor Repairs and Expenses:

Farmers Feed and Supply, lime	\$1 00	
William H. Fox, hauling door	2 25	
Harold C. Gault, damper	2 20	
Henry Payne, labor	5 00	
Mrs. Henry Payne, cleaning	9 20	
Harold Stroncer, labor on floors	6 00	
Mrs. Edmund Tower, cleaning	8 00	
	<hr/>	\$33 65

14. Medical Inspection:

Oscar Burns, M.D., inspection	\$20 00	
Raymond A. Dyer, first aid supplies	81	
Milford Red Cross, nurse service	20 00	
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15. Transportation:

Nathaniel F. Hooper	\$ 3 30	
Henry LaPointe	251 06	
Robert Mason	1330 00	
	<hr/>	\$1584 36

16. High School Tuition:

Amherst School Dist., 1 pupil	\$ 75 00	
Milford School Dist., 11 pupils	703 00	
	<hr/>	\$778 00

17. Elementary School Tuition:

Milford School Dist., 10 pupils	\$415 00	
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18. Other Special Activities:

Mary T. Bemis, noon-hour supervision	\$50 00	
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19. Tax for State-Wide Supervision:

State Treasurer, \$2 per capita tax	\$106 00
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20. Insurance:

C. O. & H. M. Ingalls, \$1500 on Village Building to March 12, 1941	\$30 00
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22. Alterations of Old Buildings:

Gustaf Brusquini, painting schoolhouse	\$175 00
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26. Payment of Bills From Previous Year:

Henry LaPointe, transportation	\$45 00
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TOTAL PAYMENTS	<hr/> \$4710 25
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BUDGET**July 1, 1940 to June 30, 1941****A. Support of Elementary Schools:**

Teacher's salary, regular	\$1000 00	
Music teacher's salary	75 00	
Textbooks	50 00	
Scholars' supplies	50 00	
Flags and appurtenances	4 00	
Other expenses of instruction	10 00	
Janitor service	50 00	
Fuel	50 00	
Water, light and janitor's supplies	35 00	
Minor repairs and expenses	35 00	
Health supervision	40 00	
Transportation of pupils	1600 00	
Payment of elementary tuitions	650 00	
Other special activities	50 00	
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		\$3699 00

**B. For Payment of Statutory and
Other Requirements:**

Salaries of district officers	\$ 85 00	
Truant officer and school census	10 00	
Payment of high school tuition	750 00	
Superintendent's excess salary	75 00	
\$2 per capita tax	118 00	
Expenses of administration	50 00	
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		\$1088 00
Total Amount Required to		<hr/>
Meet School Board's Budget		\$4787 00

Estimated Income of District:

Balance on June 30	\$100 00
Dog tax	75 00

Trust funds	50 00	
Deduct estimated income	<u> </u>	\$225 00
Assessment Required to Balance	<u> </u>	
School Board's Budget		\$4562 00

HELEN K. HOOPER,
 FRANCIS C. REAGAN,
 CATHERINE G. BLOOD,
 School Board.

February 9, 1940.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

For Fiscal Year July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

Cash on hand July 1, 1938	\$20 24
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Received from Selectmen by Taxation:

July 1, 1938	\$ 300 00	
September 12, 1938	1000 00	
November 20, 1938	1000 00	
February 1, 1939	1500 00	
May 20, 1939	500 00	
June 29, 1939	305 00	
		4605 00

From Selectmen on Account
of Other Income:

June 29, 1939, 1938 dog assessment	102 78
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$4728 02
Less School Board's orders paid	4710 25

Balance on hand as of June 30, 1939	\$17 77
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ANNIE S. PERHAM,
District Treasurer.

June 30, 1939.

Audited,
ALBERT B. LAMSON,
FERDINAND M. STUCKLEN,
Auditors.

July 10, 1939.

ABSTRACT OF REPORT OF CLERK

Made to State Board of Education, School Board,
and Selectmen on March 14, 1939

District Revenue Voted March 14, 1939 For Fiscal Year July 1, 1939 to June 30, 1940

Amounts appropriated for:

Support of elem. schools	\$3464 00	
Salaries of district officers	85 00	
Truant officer and school census	10 00	
Supt.'s salary account	80 00	
\$2 per capita tax for supervision	118 00	
Tuition in high schools and academies	975 00	
Administration	50 00	
Special: Playground equipment	100 00	
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		\$4882 00
Less estimated income		175 00
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Total Amount of Money to be Raised by Taxation		\$4707 00

WILLIAM O. LAMSON,
Clerk of the School District.

March 14, 1939.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Mont Vernon:

I herewith tender the twenty-second annual report, my first in the series. As you well know, the year about which I am to report was largely within another's administration. Therefore, I beg your indulgence if this is not as complete as expected. A statement recently caught my eye: "A beginning administrator should not be too aggressive but should adopt the normal course and gradually work in his changes." Without too much emphasis on the last part of the statement, these sentiments are mine. It is my plan to adjust myself to the organization as I come into it to suggest changes only as the need arises or a change will better serve the pupils in the schools. There can be little dispute of the fact that everything done must contribute to pupil welfare. We must weigh and measure every procedure in these terms.

Personnel

Miss Lois Cate of Hooksett, after a number of years teaching in another part of the state, was chosen as successor to Miss Bemis at the village school. Her interesting room of wide-awake pupils is a good criterion of the progress she has made in her first year with you. Miss Elsie Wheeler continues as Music Supervisor.

Accomplishments

I can but briefly give you information upon this subject as it pertains to the year before I began service. However, I like to report on pupil achievements. It is the phase of the work I most enjoy. I refer you to the list of pupils neither absent nor tardy as one achievement. Pupils as well as parents are to be commended for the efforts shown. Then you will be interested to know that of the

twenty-six children in your schools in June 87% of them received promotion. This high figure is indicative of good teaching as well as pupil achievement. I hope to be more specific in regard to achievements in the next report.

Financial Data

Recent reports from the State Board of Education reveal the figures given below. They show the financial burden to support schools in your district as compared with some other districts. The value of state-aid is well illustrated in the tabulation. The districts named in the tabulation are those in this union together with that district which has the least expense and the one which has the greatest expense. The numbers appearing before the districts indicate their relative position in the state.

Current Cost per \$100 of Equalized Valuation 1938-1939

	Total	State-Aid	Net
1. Monroe	\$3.12	00	\$3.12
46. Mont Vernon	8.18	00	8.18
79. Milford	9.81	00	9.81
99. Amherst	10.97	1.33	9.64
107. Brookline	11.34	2.35	8.99
125. Hollis	12.03	1.06	10.97
241. Unity	30.11	16.11	14.00

The elementary per pupil costs for the year 1938-1939 for this union are: Amherst \$72.63; Brookline \$62.09; Hollis \$63.92; Milford \$62.21; and Mont Vernon \$106.37, while the median per pupil cost for the whole state was \$81.07.

These figures should point to the fact that your schools have not been conducted at excessive cost.

Membership

The membership at the Mont Vernon school on January 31, 1940, was as follows:

Grade I: Alma Trow, Marion James.

Grade II: Edna Fournier, Howard Miles, Keith Pomeroy, Dorothy Robinson, Richard Robinson, Robert Robinson, Lawrence Salisbury.

Grade III: Elaine Heino, Richard Payne, Meredith Trow.

Grade IV: Elizabeth Fournier, Marcia Hazen, Lillian Heino, Arleen LaPalme, Richard Leonard, William Payne, Harry Salisbury, Irving Salisbury.

Grade V: Gerald Barrett, Mae Heino, Doris Nichols, Richard Trow.

Grade VI: Richard Depuy, Frederick Bardwell, Irene Fournier, Merrick Shawe.

Tuition Pupils January 31, 1940

At Milford

Grade VII: Shirley Depuy, George Fournier, Allan Hazen, Olga Heino, Frederick Pomeroy, Jean Shawe, Pearl Trow, Iver Weeks.

Grade VIII: George Kimball, George Salisbury, Edith Trow.

Grade IX: Wallace Hooper, Nancy Leonard, Gertrude Saulnier, Guild Smith.

Grade X: James Welch.

Grade XI: Eleanor Carleton, Pauline Mason.

Grade XII: Mary Smith, Harold Warren, Ruth Welch.

At Amherst

Grade XI: Charles Zahn.

Conclusion

I conclude this discussion with a reiteration of principles. Education is necessary to an enlightened democracy but the education some are to receive must be varied to meet needs and capacity for attainment. Hence, a broad program of subject matter is offered. The majority can assimilate the usual program. The few who cannot compel, unfor-

tunately for our finances, a wide latitude of selection. Yet each and every one is a member of our American democracy and must be served to the best of our ability. Such is the aim of present day education.

I am especially grateful to the citizens of Mont Vernon for their cordiality and friendly attitude. My contacts in your midst have been very pleasant. I am further appreciative of the active interest of the School Board and the conscientious efforts of your loyal teacher. I believe we are working co-operatively to further the interest of childhood which will lead to good citizenship as youth assumes the cares of management in due season.

I regret that my short term in this union compels restraint when the subject of needs may be mentioned. Then, too, some may appreciate the lack of such discussion. I hope to be more familiar with this question before I suggest remedies.

I invite your attention to the statistics and other reports which follow.

Very respectfully,

HAROLD C. BOWLEY,

Superintendent of Schools.

February 9, 1940.

General Statistics for School Year 1938-1939

Number of schools maintained	1
Number of different pupils registered during year: Girls 16; Boys 21; Total	37
Enrollment by grades: I-8; II-5; III-9; IV-4; V-2; VI-9; Total	37
Number of days schools were actually in session	170
Average daily attendance	29.28
Average daily membership	30.62
Per cent of attendance	95.62
Number of cases of tardiness (last year 15)	8
Number not absent nor tardy	2
Salary of teacher	\$950
Salary of music teacher	\$75
Number of visits made by School Board members	2
Number of visits by Superintendent	31
Number of visits by citizens	28
Number of meetings held by School Board	6

Pupils Who Attended Secondary Schools 1938-1939

At Amherst High School: Charles Zahn (X).

At Milford High School: Joseph Carleton (XII), Ray Pomeroy (XII), John Welch (XII), Mary Smith (XI), Harold Warren (XI), Ruth Welch (XI) Eleanor Carleton (X), Robert Florentino (X)*, Pauline Mason (X), Shirley Hobson (IX)*, James Welch (IX).

Pupils Who Attended Elementary Schools in Milford 1938-1939

Grade VIII: Frank Florentino*, Wallace Hooper, Nancy Leonard, Gertrude Saulnier, Guild Smith, Edith Trow.

Grade VII: George Kimball, Edna Muncil*, Florence Nichols, George Salisbury.

* Did not attend the full year.

Perfect Attendance for Year 1938-1940

Shirley Depuy

Irene Fournier

Enrollment as of January 31, 1940

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Boys	0	5	1	4	2	3	15
Girls	2	2	2	4	2	1	13
Totals	2	7	3	8	4	4	28

Enrollment as of January 31 for the last ten years,
 Grades I-VI: 30; 28; 26; 32; 25; 32; 28; 31; 36; 28.

Number attending Milford Grade VII	8
Number attending Milford Grade VIII	3
Number attending Milford Grade IX	4
Number attending Milford Grade X	1
Number attending Milford Grade XI	2
Number attending Milford Grade XII	3
Number attending Amherst Grade XI	1
Total in all schools on January 31, 1940	50

**Perfect Attendance September 6, 1939 Through
 January 31, 1940**

Gerald Barrett, Irene Fournier, Irving Salisbury,
 Lawrence Salisbury, Alma Trow, Richard Trow.

RETURN OF SCHOOL CENSUS, SEPTEMBER 1939

Ray E. Pomeroy, Enumerator

Number of children 5 to 16 years of age:	
Boys 31; Girls 19;	50
Number of children in local public schools	32
Number of children in local private schools (Crouch)	7
Number in high school under 16 years of age	5
Number in high school over 16 years of age	6
Number attending elementary school outside	11
Number 5 to 8 years of age not in school	1
Number 8 to 14 years of age not in school	0
Number 14 to 16 years of age not in school	1

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Board of Mont Vernon:

The following is my annual report of the medical inspection made October, 1939.

Number examined: Pupils, 28; Teachers, 1.

Number not present: 2.

Defects Found	Number of Cases
Anaemia	2
Defective teeth	16
Diseased tonsils	4

Respectfully submitted,

OSCAR BURNS, M. D.,

School Physician.

February 9, 1940.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To Mr. Harold C. Bowley, Superintendent of Schools, Mont Vernon, N. H.:

The following is my annual report of the health work in the Mont Vernon schools.

The medical inspection was made in October by Dr. Oscar Burns, the nurse assisting. A tabulated report of the inspection will be given in the School Physician's report. All pupils were found to be properly vaccinated at that time.

Eleven school room visits have been made during the year and home visits as need for health and remedial work.

The visual examinations were made by the nurse with the Snellen Chart and found those needing attention had been corrected at that date.

It has been possible to have children attend the nose and throat clinic at Grasmere for tonsil operations.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation

to school officials, teachers, pupils, and parents for
their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

VENITA H. CARTER, R. N.,

School Nurse.

February 9, 1940.

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1939

BIRTHS

Date, Name of Child, Name of Father, Maiden Name of Mother.

- Mar. 25. Baby Nichols. John Williams Nichols. Cecile Berwick.
 June 12. Margaret Elizabeth Trow. Earl Marvell Trow. Margaret Anna Trow.
 June 29. Bruce Edward Tower. Frank Edmund Tower. Priscilla Chouinard.
 Aug. 31. Janet Mae Houston. Harold Wilfred Houston. Bernice Gertrude Bedell.
 Dec. 10. William Clyde Mason. Edwin Emery Mason. Jennie Marie Greenough.
 Jan. 26, 1940. Fred Evans Salisbury. Fred Tracy Salisbury. Olive Adell Duffie.

MARRIAGES

Date, Name of Parties, and Residence

- Sept. 3. Arthur William Kiess, 24, Washington, D. C., and Ethel Carleton, 23, Mont Vernon, N. H.
 Dec. 17. Andrew Joseph Roux, 30, Mont Vernon, and Mabel Eunice Joslin, 29, Milford.

DEATHS

Date, Name, Age, Name of Father, Maiden Name of Mother

- May 14. Carl Hobart Pomeroy, 15 yrs., 3 mos., 4 days. Ray E. Pomeroy. Lila W. Trow.
 Oct. 21. Charles Page Hartshorn, 70 yrs., 23 days. Levi Hartshorn. Eveline S. Melendy.
 June 3. Joseph Nuckley, 65 yrs., 3 mos., 1 day. John F. Nuckley. Bridget Hurney.

Brought Here For Burial:

- Apr. 6. Jennie J. Stevens, 80 yrs., 2 mos., 26 days. Thomas Shattuck. Jerusha.
 July 31. Bertha L. Woods, 55 yrs., 2 mos., 11 days. John A. Woods. Abbie M. Richardson.
 Aug. 16. Emily F. Upton, 96 yrs., 7 mos. John J. Carson. Sarah Hopkins.
 Nov. 27. Dora A. Talbot, 89 yrs., 11 mos., 21 days. Father's and mother's names unknown.
 Jan. 15, 1940. Abbie M. Averill, 68 yrs., 9 mos., 18 days. Father's and mother's names unknown.

